

Amendments to the Claims

1. (Currently amended) A prefabricated house comprising:  
two or more modules, each module having a frame, said frame having a plurality of studs;  
said module frames having one or more multiframe openings;  
each said multiframe opening incorporating two studs from said frame plurality of studs and having a plurality of medial cross-members; and  
said two or more modules structured to be joined at one of said one or more multiframe openings.
2. (Original) The prefabricated house of claim 1 wherein:  
said multi-frame openings are enclosed within a covering over said frame; and  
said multi-frame openings are structured to be converted into openings.
3. (Canceled)
4. (Currently amended) The prefabricated house of claim 3-1 wherein each cross-member in said plurality of cross-members is coupled to said studs in a manner sufficient to support any additional components selected from the group including: doors, windows, fireplaces or dormers.
5. (Original) The prefabricated house of claim 4 wherein each cross-member in said plurality of cross-members is removably coupled to said studs.
6. (Original) The prefabricated house of claim 3 wherein each cross-member in said plurality of cross-members is removably coupled to said studs.
7. (Original) The prefabricated house of claim 1 wherein said modules include one or more foldable panels.

8. (Original) The prefabricated house of claim 7 wherein:
  - at least one of said two or more modules is a core module having a fixed space portion and a passive space portion;
  - said fixed space portion having non-foldable walls;
  - said passive space portion having said foldable panels;
  - said foldable panels movable from a first, closed position to second open position; and
  - wherein said core module has dimensions of less than about 66 feet, by 10 feet, by 12 feet when said foldable panels are in said first position.
9. (Original) The prefabricated house of claim 8 wherein said multi-frame openings are structured to be converted into an opening selected from the group including: doors, windows, fireplaces or dormers.
10. (Original) The prefabricated house of claim 8 wherein said modules may be joined at said multi-frame openings with said modules disposed in more than one configuration relative to each other.
11. (Original) The prefabricated house of claim 10 wherein:
  - said multi-frame openings are enclosed within a covering over said frame; and
  - said multi-frame openings are structured to be converted into openings.
12. (Original) The prefabricated house of claim 11 wherein said multi-frame openings include:
  - a pair of spaced apart studs; and
  - a plurality of cross-members extending between said two studs.
13. (Original) The prefabricated house of claim 12 wherein each cross-member in said plurality of cross-members is coupled to said studs in a manner sufficient

to support any additional components selected from the group including: doors, windows, fireplaces or dormers.

14. (Original) The prefabricated house of claim 13 wherein each cross-member in said plurality of cross-members is removably coupled to said studs.

15. (Original) The prefabricated house of claim 12 wherein each cross-member in said plurality of cross-members is removably coupled to said studs.

16. (Original) The prefabricated house of claim 10 wherein each said module includes substantially finished trim.

17. (Original) The prefabricated house of claim 1 wherein said modules may be joined at said multi-frame openings with said modules disposed in more than one configuration relative to each other.

18. (Original) The prefabricated house of claim 1 wherein each said module includes substantially finished trim.

19. (Original) The prefabricated house of claim 1 wherein:  
at least one of said two or more modules is a core module having a fixed space portion and a passive space portion;

    said passive space portion structured to move from a first, closed position to second open position; and

    wherein said core module has dimensions of less than about 66 feet, by 10 feet, by 12 feet when said passive space portion is in said first position.